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[REDACTED] report with a sketch (one sheet) concerning the central portion of the Zossen-Wuensdorf area and giving the location of significant installations in that area. The sketch is to the scale of 1:50,000. 25X1

## Comments:

1. This report [REDACTED] completes the lay-out sketch for the entire Zossen-Wuensdorf area. 25X1
2. The numbering of the buildings shown on the sketch is the same as that used by the Soviet administration. This does not apply to the lettering used. 25X1

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MILITARY/AIRLayout of the Central part of the ZOSEN WUENS DORF area (24.1.57)GENERAL

1. Attached at Appendix "A" is a plan shewing the layout of buildings in the central part of the ZOSEN-WUENS DORF area.
2. The plan is sketched to the scale of 1/5000.
3. Details of the various buildings and installations are given in the following paragraphs:

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS

4. The General Headquarters consists of the buildings numbered below. Details of these buildings are also given:

No 94/94a/94b: A building in the shape of a three-sided square measuring 150 x 30 m at the longest side with two legs measuring 75 x 30 m. Houses the offices of the General Headquarters.

77b: 15 x 10m. Houses a W/T station which deals only with direct communication to MOSCOW.

77a: 30 x 15m. A house used as quarters by the personnel employed in the W/T station in 77b.

78: 30 x 15m. Quarters for officers without families.

98: 76 x 17m. [ ] building used as offices and duty rooms. Houses W/T stations, teleprinters and telephone exchange.

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99, 100 & 101: 50 x 17 m. [ ] buildings all used as quarters for officers of the General Headquarters with families.

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5. The perimeter of the General Headquarters compound is shown by a dotted line.

Tank Repair Workshops WUENS DORF:

6. The buildings belonging to and used by the Tank Repair Workshops WUENS DORF, are as listed below. Details of the various buildings are also given:

Nos 1a & 3a: 76 x 17 m. [ ] buildings used as quarters by officers of the workshops with families.

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KI-KVII (incl) 76 x 17 m. [ ] barrack blocks used as accommodation for troops of the workshops.

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D: 76 x 17 m. [ ] building housing works offices and the administrative offices dealing with German personnel.

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E: 76 x 17 m. [ ] building housing the offices of the Commandant, Chief of Staff, constructional department and NKVD detachment of the workshops.

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F, G: 76 x 17 m. Hall-type buildings where BA 64s and motorcycles are repaired.

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H-H: 76 x 17 m. Hall-type buildings used for engine construction.

I: 76 x 17 m. Hall-type building which houses the kitchen and dining room for German personnel.

K: 76 x 17 m. Hall-type building housing the workshops for carpentry and saddlery.

L: 50 x 20 m. Hall-type building used as a wash-down for vehicles and engine parts.

M: 75 x 20 m. Hall-type building housing the workshop for repairs to guns.

N: 30 x 20 m. Hall-type building housing a German Konsum/RO.

O/P: 150 x 20 m. Hall-type building used as follows:  
     Part O - Tank assembly.  
     Part P - Gearbox repair workshop.

DM/VM/L/TM: 200 x 50 m. Hall-type building used as follows:  
     Part DM - Tank dismantling.  
     Part VM - Tank assembly.  
     Part L - Tank cleaning area.  
     Part TM - Turret assembly.

U: 150 x 15 m. Hall-type building used as a store for spare parts and repair materials.

V-V: 150 x 15 m. Hall-type building used as a mechanical workshops and locksmith's workshop

W: 150 x 15 m. Electrical workshop.

X-Y: 150 x 15 m. Hall type buildings at present not in use.

Z: 100 x 15 m. Hall used for parking AFVs.

ZI: Built in the shape of an L and measuring 100 x 30 m and 75 x 30 m. Used as a hall for parking AFVs.

ZII: 100 x 15 m. Hall-type building used for parking AFVs.

92: 150 x 20 m. Houses central heating system and locksmith's.

92a: 50 x 20 m. Houses part of the central heating system.

AI: 50 x 12 m.  building used as kitchen and dining room for Russian personnel.

AII: 100 x 12 m. Hall-type building housing a smithy.

AIII: 100 x 12m. Hall-type building housing a workshop for the repair of tank tracks and bogey wheels.

AIV: 15 x 10 m. Workshop for the repair and filling of compressed air bottles.

Se: Medical aid centres.

Ra: Loading ramp for engines and gearboxes (AFVs are not loaded or unloaded here).

Schr: Scrap heap.

B: Store for cleaning materials (including kerosene in barrels.

BI: Store for Diesel oil (approx 4000 litres).

BII: Underground petrol store. 3 tanks holding a total of approx 60000 litres.

7. The perimeter of the Tank Repair Workshop compound is shown by a dotted line.

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LUTZ KASERNE and Miscellaneous Administrative buildings:

8. The LUTZ Kaserne is occupied by a general administrative unit known as "ACHO". This unit occupies and controls the following buildings. Details of the buildings are also given:
- Nos 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9: 76 x 17 m. [ ] occupied as offices by adm unit "ACHO". 25X1
- 3: 50 x 12 m. [ ] building used as a kitchen and mess rooms. 25X1
- 8: 180 x 30 m. Central heating system.
- 11: 150 x 12 m. Hall-type building used as a garage for cars.
- 12: 150 x 12 m. Clothing store.
- 15-16 (incl): 150 x 12 m. All hall-type buildings used as garages [ ] 25X1
- 17: 30 x 12 m. House used as accommodation for single officers.
- 19-21 (incl): 76 x 17 m. Used as private accommodation for officers with families.
- 22-23: 76 x 17 m. Both buildings house a clothing workshop (German personnel are employed in these buildings).
- 24: 76 x 17 m. Wages office and cash office (mainly dealing with payments to German personnel).
- B: POL store.
- KOI-KOV: 250 x 15 m. Coal storage sheds.
- Prov.A: 250 x 20 m. [ ] building housing the provision stores, offices and bakery. 25X1
- B/ONO: 75 x 17 m. Bath house and de-lousing centre.
- K/ONO: 76 x 17 m. [ ] building housing administrative personnel. 25X1
- 2A, 4A, 5A, 6A: 76 x 17 m. [ ] buildings used as private quarters for officers with families. 25X1
- 37: Built in the shape of a quadrangle with both long sides measuring 80 x 50 m. [ ] occupied as warehouse and Officers' mess. 25X1
- 37A, 37B: 12 x 15 m. [ ] building used as quarters for the troops employed in the warehouse No 37.
- 35, 36, 38: 76 x 17 m. [ ] buildings used as quarters by administrative officers and their families. 25X1
- 39: 76 x 17 m. [ ] building housing a kitchen and mess rooms. 25X1
- 71-76 (incl): 76 x 17 m. [ ] buildings used as quarters by schoolteachers and their families and Administrative officers with families.
- 70: 80 x 12 m. [ ] building used as administrative offices. 25X1
- 77: 100 x 20 m. [ ] building used as a school for Russian children.
- 69: 50 x 15 m. [ ] building used as prison for the whole of the ZOSEN-WUENSDORF area.

MISCELLANEOUS

9. Buildings and installations not mentioned in the foregoing paragraphs are marked as follows:

[ ] W - Guard rooms.

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- ☐ TR = Transformer houses.
- RA = Loading ramps.
- ☐ BK = Barrack hut 30 x 10 m used as offices by the building office and KETSCH.
- ☐ HW = Building under construction: will eventually house a new central heating system.
- ☐ VEAB = Warehouse for agricultural products.
- ☒ = Pole barriers.

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